

**NONPROVISIONAL PATENT ·**  
**APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL RULE §1.53(b)**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): METHOD FOR FORMING POROUS SILICA FILM

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- ☒ 20 pages of Specification/Claims 1-7/Abstract are attached.
- ☒ Formal drawings (Fig(s). 1-4; 4 sheet(s)) is/are attached.
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to ULVAC, Inc. is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and \_\_\_\_\_ reference(s).
- ☐ This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
- ☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☒ Priority of foreign application Nos. 247190/2002 filed August 27, 2002 in Japan and 032189/2003 filed February 10, 2003 in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☒ Certified copies of the above corresponding foreign applications are attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

			SMALL ENTITY		OR	LARGE ENTITY	
FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	FEE		RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE				\$ 375	OR		\$ 750
TOTAL CLAIMS	7 - 20	= 0	x 9 =	\$	OR	x 18	\$
INDEP CLAIMS	1 - 3	= 0	x 42 =	\$	OR	x 84	\$
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			+140 =	\$	OR	+280	\$280
			TOTAL	\$	OR	TOTAL	\$1,030

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$1,070.00 (\$1,030.00 for the filing fee and \$40.00 for the Assignment Recordation Fee) is attached. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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